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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Shigeru OGINO et al.

Group Art Unit: 1795

Application No.: 10/588,218

Examiner: Z. BEST

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Docket No.: 128872

For: FUEL CELL SYSTEM FOR PREVENTING HYDROGEN PERMEABLE METAL  
LAYER DEGRADATION (AS AMENDED)

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the January 15, 2009 Office Action, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Specification; and**

**Remarks.**